

Opening of a Dispensary at Pallam.

32. MR. M. N. NARAYANA MENON (Kottayam): Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) whether the people of Pallam in Kottayam taluk have applied for a dispensary being opened for them and

(b) whether any action has been taken in the matter ?

MRS. M. POONEN LUKOSE: (a) Yes.

(b) Government are of opinion that a dispensary at Pallam is unnecessary at present.

Income under "Recoveries on Salt."

33. MR. M. N. PARAMESVARAN PILLAI: Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) the amount realised every year under the head "Recoveries on Salt" from 1098 to 1108 :

(b) the duty levied in every year :

(c) the justification for realising the amount under "Recoveries" over and above the duty ;

(d) the price at which one maund of local salt is now (11-3-109) sold in Travancore, and of this price what is the amount realised as duty, what is the amount realised as "Recoveries" and what is the actual cost of production of the salt ;

(e) whether the British Government realise anything like "Recoveries" and, if so, what and

(f) whether the Government propose to abolish the item "Recoveries"?

MR. C. O. MADHAVAN (Excise Commissioner):

		Rs.	Ch.	C.
(a)	1098	1,85,583	19	11
	1099	2,03,431	9	9
	1100	2,18,186	20	13
	1101	1,77,133	27	8
	1102	2,36,241	7	14
	1103	3,78,667	2	14
	1104	3,06,190	11	11
	1105	3,09,996	3	10
	1106	3,07,538	9	11
	1107	3,19,433	13	4
(b)	1098	19,42,492	2	5
	1099	21,29,012	5	9
	1100	14,63,718	4	7
	1101	14,48,062	4	11
	1102	14,48,407	16	7
	1103	15,25,467	1	6
	1104	15,66,572	24	12
	1105	15,46,294	16	14
	1106	15,29,807	26	3
	1107	18,74,433	3	14